CHILD ABUSE VICTIMS WITH DISABILITIES: FIRST RESPONDER TRAINING PROGRAM

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Child Abuse Victims with Disabilities: First Responder Training (FR) Program was initiated in 2006 funded by the Children's Justice Act. The purpose of the program is to train first responders to incidents of abuse on how to better and appropriately respond to victims with disabilities in order to reduce trauma, prevent re-victimization, and successfully investigate and prosecute the abuse case.

The target population for the training is child abuse professionals from disciplines primarily responsible for the first response such as law enforcement, child welfare, victim services, prosecution, medical, etc.

FUNDS AWARDED

Fiscal Year	Types of Funding	<u>Total Funding</u>
FY 2008/09	Children's Justice Act (CJA) FFY 2007	\$ 100,000
FY 2009/10	Children's Justice Act (CJA) FFY 2007	\$ 54,869
	Children's Justice Act (CJA) FFY 2008	\$ 100,000
FY 2010/11		Unknown

2008/09 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Provided the First Responder Education on Disabilities Training for first responders.

<u>3</u> Trainings conducted.

130 First responders trained.

2009/10 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Available

2010/11 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Available